

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Kreg A. MARTIN et al.	§	Confirmation No.:	6471
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Serial No.:	10/693,618	§	Group Art Unit:	2619
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Filed:	October 24, 2003	§	Examiner:	Alpus HSU
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For:	Circuit Synchronization	§	Atty. Docket No.:	2120-02800
	Over Asynchronous Links	§		

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 14, 2008 AND AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 10, 2008

Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated January 14, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this document.

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